

honor. Bobby was one of the few U.S. soldiers who was a prisoner of war twice. He was captured at the Battle of the Bulge in 1994 and was a German prisoner of war. He then escaped, but was recaptured. For his bravery, Bobby was awarded numerous medals and honors including: the Silver Star, two Bronze Stars, four Purple Hearts, a P.O.W. medal, the American Campaign medal, the World War II Victory medal, and the European African Middle Eastern Campaign medal.

Following the war, he continued to serve our country as commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post, 3181, in Florence and as State commander of VFW in 1951.

Many around South Carolina remember Bobby best from his racing days. In 1950, he ran the first stock car in the first Southern 500 in Darlington. He was also one of the original owners of the Darlington International Raceway and past member of the board of directors.

Bobby was an auto dealer from the 1950's through the mid-1960's. In the Pee Dee, you can still spot an Oldsmobile from Griffin Motors that Bobby probably sold. After retiring from the car company, as a vice president, he spent many years in Myrtle Beach as a real estate developer.

Madam President, I would like to extend my thoughts and prayers to Bobby Griffin's friends and family. We will all miss him every much.

REPORT RELATIVE TO IRANIAN PETROLEUM RESOURCES—MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—PM 33

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

To the Congress of the United States:

Pursuant to the section 204(b) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 U.S.C. 1703(b)) and section 301 of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1631), I hereby report that I have exercised my statutory authority to declare a national emergency to respond to the actions and policies of the Government of Iran and to issue an Executive order prohibiting United States persons from entering into contracts for the financing of or the overall management or supervision of the development of petroleum resources located in Iran or over which Iran claims jurisdiction.

The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to issue regulations in exercise of my authorities under the International Emergency Economic Powers Act to implement these prohibitions. All Federal agencies are also directed to take actions within their authority to carry out the provisions of the Executive order.

I am enclosing a copy of the Executive order that I have issued. The order is effective at 12:01 a.m., eastern standard time, on March 16, 1995.

I have authorized these measures in response to the actions and policies of Iran including support for international terrorism, efforts to undermine the Middle East Peace Process, and the acquisition of weapons of mass destruction and the means to deliver them. We have worked energetically to press the Government of Iran to cease this unacceptable behavior. To that end we have worked closely with Allied governments to prevent Iran's access to goods that would enhance its military capabilities and allow it to further threaten the security of the region. We have also worked to limit Iran's financial resources by opposing subsidized lending.

Iran has reacted to the limitations on its financial resources by negotiating for Western firms to provide financing and know-how for management of the development of petroleum resources. Such development would provide new funds that the Iranian Government could use to continue its current policies. It continues to be the policy of the U.S. Government to seek to limit those resources and these prohibitions will prevent United States persons from acting in a manner that undermines that effort.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, March 15, 1995.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

At 12:04 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Goetz, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, without amendment:

S. 377. An act to amend a provision of part A of title IX of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, relating to Indian education, to provide a technical amendment, and for other purposes.

MEASURES REFERRED

The following bills were read the first and second times by unanimous consent and referred as indicated:

H.R. 402. An act to amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 531. An act to designate the Great Western Scenic Trail as a study trail under the National Trails System Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 536. An act to extend indefinitely the authority of the Secretary of the Interior to collect a commercial operation fee in the Delaware Water Gap National Recreation Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 562. An act to modify the boundaries of Walnut Canyon National Monument in the State of Arizona; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 694. An act entitled the "Minor Boundary Adjustments and Miscellaneous Park Amendments Act of 1995"; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 715. An act to amend the Central Ber- ing Sea Fisheries Enforcement Act of 1992 to prohibit fishing in the Central Sea of Okhotsk by vessels and nationals of the United States; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

The following concurrent resolutions were read, and referred as indicated:

H. Con. Res. 34. A concurrent resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus Anniversary Commemoration; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

H. Con. Res. 39. A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding Federal disaster relief; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following measures were read the second time and placed on the calendar:

H.R. 956. An act to establish legal standards and procedures for product liability litigation, and for other purposes.

H.R. 988. An act to reform the Federal civil justice system.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-527. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a violation of the Antideficiency Act, case number 93-51; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-528. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a violation of the Antideficiency Act, case number 95-9; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-529. A communication from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on the C-17 program; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-530. A communication from the Director of Defense Research and Engineering, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on the Federally Funded Research and Development Center for fiscal year 1996; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-531. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a Department of Defense implementation plan; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-532. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report for calendar year 1994; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-533. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a violation of the Antideficiency Act, case number 92-10; to the Committee on Appropriations.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. DORGAN:

S. 557. A bill to prohibit insured depository institutions and credit unions from engaging